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Taking a Chance.
He looked happy enough as he walked up to the postoffice box, set a huge bundle on the floor and began taking pretty square envelopes therefrom, dropping them by twos and threes into the box.
"Big lot of letters," remarked the policeman. "Nice day too."
"Letters!" said the happy man. "My dear fellow, these are not letters. They are wedding invitations."
A stern look came over the face of the hitherto friendly policeman.
"My friend," he said, "I am sorry to disturb you, but I must do my duty. Come with me."
"Arrested?"
"Yes."
"On what charge, sir? This is an outrage."
"Not at all. You are advertising a lottery through the post."
The man went along—Kansas City Independent.

The Bubble Reputation.
The Governor—Colonel, don't you know Judge Blank? Shake hands with him.
The Colonel—Ah, you are Judge Blank of Blankville?
The Judge—Yes; Blankville is my home.
The Governor—Of course I know you by reputation then.
The Governor—Colonel, don't you know it always makes me feel mighty uncomfortable when a man says that about me—that he knows me by reputation?
The Governor—How is that, governor? Why should it make you feel uncomfortable?
The Governor—Because, by jingo, I always wonder which reputation he means.

A Simple System.
Teacher—In what year was the battle of Waterloo fought?
Pupil—I don't know.
Teacher—It's simple enough if you only would learn how to cultivate artificial memory. Remember the twelve apostles. Add half that number to them. That's eighteen. Multiply that by 100. That's 1,800. Take the twelve apostles again. Add a quarter of their number to them. That's fifteen. Add what you've got. That's 1,815. That's the date. Quite simple, you see, to remember dates if you will only adopt my system.

Making Sure.
This hunting story comes from Scotland: When the beaters came out of the covert, one of the guns said to the keeper, "Have you got all your beaters out?"
"Aye," said the man, astonished.
"Are you sure? Have you counted them?"
"Counted them?" said the keeper.
"Aye, they're all right."
"Then," said the shooter, with a sigh of some relief, "I have shot a roe."

The Splitting Snake.
A snake found in Africa is called the splitting snake by the Boers. It is between two and three feet long and is especially bold and active, readily attacking every one who approaches it. In confinement it is very savage, opening its mouth and erecting its fangs, from which the poison may be often observed to drop and even sometimes to be forcibly ejected; whence the name given it by the Boers.

Sources of Alcohol.
Some terribly potent liquors, it is said, can be distilled from the innocent looking banana and also from the milk of the coconut. The Japanese make a beverage from plums and from the flowers of the motherwort and the peach. The Chinese produce several qualities of spirit from rice and peas, all of them intoxicating, besides which they can make an alcoholic drink from mutton.

Same Old Thing.
Tom—Did you call on that pretty telephone girl?
Dick—Yes, but I guess there was another fellow there ahead of me, or maybe it was only force of habit.
Tom—How do you mean?
Dick—My card came back with the message: "Busy. Please call again." Philadelphia Press.

Remembering George.
She had been shopping, and he was naturally disturbed.
"I hope you didn't spend much money while you were downtown today," he remarked.
"Not a cent except car fare, George," she answered reassuringly. "I had everything charged."—Chicago Post.

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WORKING IN THE DARK.
Discomforts of Mining Before the Day Lamp Was Lit.
The difficulties under which coal mining operations were carried on before the scientist Davy had invented his safety lamp must have been very great. In many times the only alternative the medieval miner had to pitch darkness was the phosphorescent gleam from dried fish. The miner's implements, originally of stone or hard oak, gradually improved, but he was forced to work in almost complete darkness until Sir Humphry Davy by his remarkable invention enabled him to light his way through the tunnels he had excavated with comparative safety.

Agricola, an author who wrote about the middle of the sixteenth century, has left an elaborate treatise on coal mining as it was practiced during the middle ages. From this we learn that the horse gin, which survives to the present day in some of the mining districts of Great Britain and northern Europe, was the engine chiefly employed both for lifting the coal and for getting rid of the water. This latter object was also sometimes effected by means of pumps turned by windmills or by tunnels driven with great labor to an outlet at a lower level.

Tombs of the Ancient Prophets.
There exist in parts of Islam many tombs of the prophet Daniel. Of these one of the most celebrated is at Cairo. This fact need not astonish us. The Mohammedans are without hesitation the duplication or even indefinite multiplication of the bodies of holy persons without their veneration for each of the remains being diminished in the least. It is worth noting that the nature of the honorary qualifications accorded to the same saint varies in different countries. Thus, for example, Daniel has at Cairo the name of Nebi-Daniel—that is, they give him the title of prophet, as being at the same time that which suits him best and is the most honorable they can confer. In Algeria or Morocco, feudal countries, the title they give to saints is sidi, which signifies lord, which is also the title there of military and political chiefs. In central Asia they give to those canonized persons whom they respect most, as to the prophet Daniel, the title of khodja, which means in Arabic writer or lettered.

Making Marble Out of Chalk.
In nature marble is made out of chalk by water which percolates through the chalky deposits, dissolves the chalk, carries it away and crystallizes it, mounting pressure solidifying it. It has been found that similar results may be accomplished by chemical means. First slices of chalk are dipped in a color bath, staining them with tints that will imitate any kind of marble known. For this purpose the same mineral stains are used as are employed in nature. For example, to produce counterfeited "verde antique" oxide of copper is utilized. In like manner green, pink, black and other colors may be used. Next the chalk slices go into another bath, by which they are hardened and crystallized, coming out to all intents and purposes real marble.

A Good Polley.
The Dry Goods Economist says of one store with which it is familiar: "Every employee in it seems to be good natured. Why should there be any difference in this respect between this establishment and the average store? Is not human nature about the same? The world over? True, but there is a difference. The proprietor of this store is not only a merchant, but a gentleman. He treats his employees with marked courtesy and consideration. As a consequence they feel so kindly disposed toward him and his business that their good will is reflected in their treatment of his customers." Some storekeepers never find out why it is that so few of their casual customers become regulars.

Leigh Hunt's Breakfast Bonquets.
Leigh Hunt, that early day aesthete, declared breakfast to be the meal of all others when the poetic influence of a table posy was to be desired. He would bring in a few clover heads or sprigs of grass culled from beneath the protecting bars of a park railing or city square if he could find nothing more beautiful, and with these to look at his fancy took him roaming into boundless green fields and pastures new.

Gave Him a Start.
"Now, then," said the auctioneer, holding up a pair of antique silver candlesticks, "give me a start."
"Twenty-five cents," came from a voice at the back of the room.
"What?" exclaimed the horrified auctioneer.
"Ah," said the bidder in an undertone and with a chuckle, "I thought that would give him a start!"

Signs of Prosperity.
"How do you get the reputation of being so much richer than you are?" asked the intimate friend. "Very easy," I wear my old clothes as long as possible and never admit that I have any money that I could lend. People take it for granted that I must be prosperous."—Washington Star.

How He Felt About It.
"I wish I could give up work and take a long rest."
"You'd do it if you could, would you?"
"Well, I'm not sure I'd do it if I could. It's one of those things you'd like to do when you can't."—Brooklyn Life.

It is agreed by medical authorities that the virulence of an epidemic may be increased by the element of fear in the public mind.

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She Repudiated the Charge.
At the men's service in a Yorkshire parish the vicar tried to convey the lesson that the truest heroes and heroines are those who do noble deeds in the secret corner of the home, where none can see or applaud.

"Few of you seem to think," he concluded, "that your wives staying at home uncomplainingly to mind the children and prepare the meals are heroines, and yet their touching devotion to duty proves them to be so."
It certainly hadn't struck one old farmer in this way before, and as soon as he got home he promptly told his wife that the vicar had called her a heroine.

"Whatever does that mean?" asked the good lady.
"Oh, it means a woman who stays in 't' house instead of goin' out to show herself," explained the farmer vaguely.
"Then I'm not a heroine, an' I'll shang 't' vicar to mind what he's sayin'!" snapped the wife. "I go to his church as much as 't' other women do, an' he must be blind if he can't see me. Why, I'd five different colors in 't' bonnet I wore last Sunday!"—London Answers.

Mark Twain's First Earnings.
Mark Twain was once asked by a friend if he remembered the first money he had ever earned.
"Yes," answered Mr. Clemens, puffing meditatively on his cigar, "I have a distinct recollection of it. When I was a youngster, I attended school at a place where the use of the birch rod was not an unusual event. It was against the rules to mark the desks in any manner, the penalty being a fine of \$5 or public chastisement."
"Happening to violate the rule on one occasion, I was offered the alternative. I told my father, and, as he seemed to think it would be too bad for me to be publicly punished, he gave me the \$5. At that period of my existence \$5 was a large sum, while a whipping was of little consequence, and so"—here Mr. Clemens reflectively knocked the ashes from his cigar—"well," he finally added, "that was how I earned my first \$5."

His Egg Sauce.
"Well, my man," said the visiting physician of a Dublin infirmary to a patient, "how do you feel this morning?"
"Purty well, sorr," was the reply.
"That's right. I hope you like the place?"
"Indeed and I do, sorr," said the man. "There's only wan thing wrong in this establishment, and that is I only get as much mate as wud feed a squaw."
"Oh, you're getting your appetite, are you?" said the doctor. "Then I'll order an egg to be sent up to you."
"Arrah, dother," rejoined the patient, "would you be so kind as to tell him at the same time to send me up the hin that laid it?"

The Privilege of Possum.
A Georgia dandy arrested for stealing a possum from a white man said to the judge:
"I don't count it no stealin' 'tall, yo' honner, kaze de possum wuz raise for de nigger, des lak de mule wuz. Let de white man take de turkey en leave de possum fer de nigger is what I say!"
"But," said the judge, "the negro frequently takes the turkey too?"
"Not dis season, suh," was the quick reply. "Dey roostin' too high."—Atlanta Constitution.

A Black Eye.
Provided there is no abrasion or cut of the cuticle, a black eye can be removed in one night by an application of an ointment of black hellebore. Rub some black hellebore powder up with some lard and apply, leaving it on all night. In the morning the discoloration has all gone and the swelling, also, only leaving a slight wrinkle, which soon disappears by cold water applications.

Rung Her In.
"And when you marry," she softly said, "I hope you'll remember to invite me to the ceremony."
He looked thoughtful. "It will be awfully crowded, no doubt," he said, "but I think I can ring you in somehow."
And a moment or two later she declared the ring was an astonishingly good fit.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Not Worried by Them.
Mamma—Johnny, when you told me that that Sever boy threw stones at you you did not tell me that it was after you had thrown stones at him.
Johnny—I wasn't afraid of the stones I threw at him, ma. It was only the ones coming my way that I was scart of.—Boston Transcript.

One of the Intelligent.
"Have you any scruples," inquired the prosecuting attorney, "against inflicting the death penalty in a case of willful murder?"
"O't I to hev 'em," cautiously asked the salesman, "or not to hev 'em, if I don't want to set on the jury?"—Chicago Tribune.

A Phenomenal Artist.
"He is the only true musical phenomenon I ever saw or heard."
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"Because he acknowledges that he tours the country for cash first and art second and that this isn't his farewell appearance."—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

An Extreme Case.
Bjones—And you say Bjiffers is absent-minded?
Brown—Absent-minded! Why, man, he's so absent-minded that when he ought to have a headache his coru hurts.—Baltimore News.

Toothache.
If one has a toothache and can't reach the dentist, try this method of temporarily allaying the pain: Cleanse and dry the hollow tooth with a bit of cotton. Then put in a small cotton plug dipped in creosote or oil of cloves. Cover this with another bit of dry cotton, or, still better, a little beeswax and cotton kneaded together. This keeps out the air and drowns the "misery" until a dentist can be reached.

BESTED THE PARSON.
A Case Where the Wedding Ring Went on the Right Hand.
A clerical correspondent of the London Express tells of a wedding ceremony in which the officiated and in his zeal for rubrical observances laid himself open to a comical and crushing retort.

"I was then curate of a small country parish in Somersetshire, and one day a couple presented themselves after due preliminaries for marriage in the village church.
"All went well until the moment came when it is directed by the rubric that the man shall place the ring upon the fourth finger of the woman's left hand, but then trouble broke. The yokel, apparently from nervousness or ignorance, hid hold of the right hand of his expectant bride and placed the ring there resolutely.
"No," I said, with quiet firmness, "you must put the ring on her left hand. To this his only reply was a stolid stare. Thinking he had not understood me I repeated my words, but with no better effect.
"With as much warmth and insistence as was justified by the occasion I now took firmer ground and said, 'If you do not put the ring on her left hand, I must stop the service.'
"And then the climax came. With a complacent smile, that seemed to show his satisfaction at having for the moment 'bested' the parson, the bridegroom settled the point for all time with the words, 'Please, sir, she ain't got none!'"

How Billiards Were Invented.
The English are very fond of the game of billiards, and a letter in the British museum gives the origin of the sport. It was invented by a London pawnbroker, whose name was William Kew. Kew not only lent money, but he sold cloth, and for the latter purpose had a yard measure, with which he used to compute the amounts. One day to distract himself he took the three round balls which are the emblems of his trade—they may still be seen in front of certain shops in London—and, placing them on his counter, began to hit them about with his yard measure.

He found it made a pretty game. He got a kind of skill in making one ball glance off the other, and his friends who saw him thus employed called the game Bill's yard. It was soon shortened into billiards. But the yardstick was the instrument with which the balls were knocked about, and difficulty arose as to what to call it. They called it after the name of the pawnbroker—a Kew.—Paris Figaro.

A Bachelor's Cost of Living.
If the average bachelor, with a millionaire's income, not the fellow who goes in for extravagant fads, but the man who maintains good social position and who entertains liberally, were to balance up his personal account for the year, it might contain these charges without comparative extravagance:
House or apartment and service.....\$10,000
Valet.....500
Chaise.....1,000
Restaurant and entertaining.....12,000
Nothing.....3,000
Automobiles.....5,000
Charitable contributions.....10,000
Cards.....5,000
Bad loans.....3,000
Horses, coach, grooms, etc.....10,000
Total.....\$53,000

These are the more or less fixed items of expense, and any one who has ever attempted to keep a personal account knows that when you have put down the necessary expenses you may add almost as much for the thousands and hundreds that may be grouped conveniently under the head of "incidental expenses." In a general way it may be said that the millionaire bachelor who spends from \$75,000 to \$100,000 a year is living his life in accordance with the demands of the time on men of wealth.—Ainslee's.

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A Mean Rival.
Miss Zesthete—Oh, I just adore poets! What a sad, soulful expression Mr. Longman has.
Mr. Smartchap—You would have a sad, soulful expression, too, if you were as far behind in your board bill as he is.—New York Weekly.

Toothache.
Dentist—Been suffering from toothache, I see.
She—Yes; haven't slept a wink for three nights.
Dentist—Is it a back one or—
She—No; it's my husband's tooth.

A Catch Bet.
Turn round, and, with your back to the table, ask somebody to throw the dice. Then tell the person who threw them to double the number of the spots on the die on the left, and keep the number to himself. Tell him to add five, then multiply by five. To this figure have him add the number of spots on the die in the middle and multiply the product by ten.
Then ask him to multiply the number of spots on the third die and give you the aggregate sum. From the amount subtract mentally 250, and the remainder will show in the three figures the number of spots on each of the three dice. For instance, take three dice. Their numbers are three, five and two. Double the one on the left—five plus five equals ten. Add five, equals fifteen. Multiply by five, equals seventy-five. Add the number of spots on the die in the middle, three, equals seventy-eight. Multiply by ten, equals 780. Add number of spots on the third die, two, equals 782. Subtract 250 and 532 remains, which are numbers on the dice.

Jack Tar as a Critic.
At an auction art sale the other day a marine view was about to be knocked down at a handsome figure when a bluff sailor, who had happened to wander in, exclaimed earnestly:
"My stars, if there ain't a vessel drifting on to the rocks with a strong breeze blowing offshore!"
The artist took his work home to rearrange the wind.

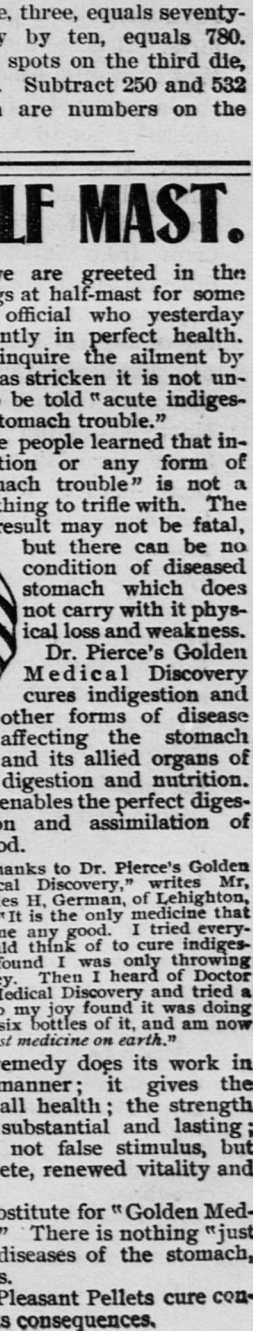
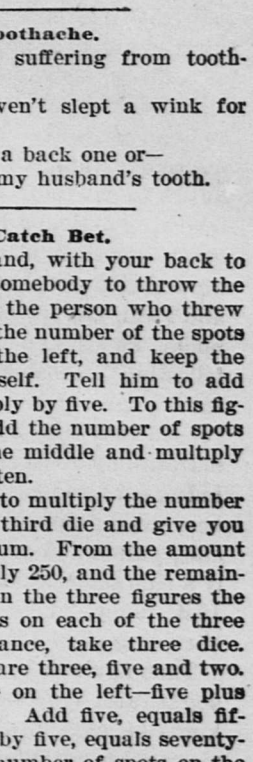
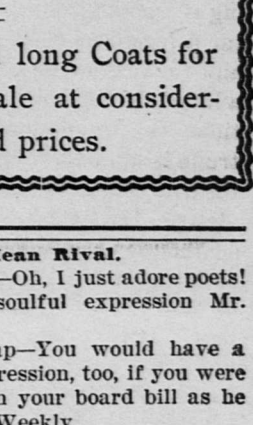
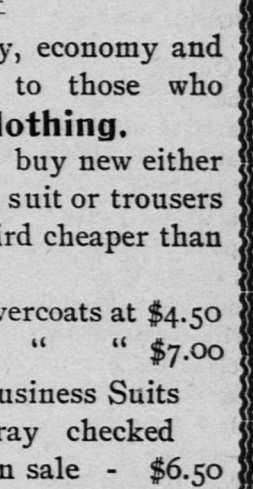
She Was Surprised.
Mrs. Rounders—What's that awful racket in the next room?
Mrs. Rounder—Oh, that's only my husband dressing to go downtown.
Mrs. Rounders—Indeed! I've heard folk say he was a loud dresser, but I had no idea it was anything like that.—Chicago News.

No One Made a Motion.
"Kin any one make a motion?" asked one of the audience. "Gents," said Alkali Bill, chairman of the meeting, as he laid his revers on the table, "awful to the general custom of wearin' weapons in these parts I trust no one will make a motion."—Philadelphia Record.

A Mean Defense.
Magistrate—It's very disgraceful that you should beat your wife.
Prisoner—Well, yer honor, she aggravated me by keepin' on sayin' she'd 'ave me hup after that bald-headed hold 'umbug, meanin' yer honor.

A Comparison.
"How'd ye like the lecturer at the town hall last night, Si?"
"Great! He was a Boston feller, an' I swan, I never laughed so hard in my life. He knew more long words than a negro minstrel."—Baltimore American.

A Little Close.
"You married a rich wife, didn't you?" asked Jones of his friend.
"Yes," he sighed, "but she's not declared any dividend yet."



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TO CORRESPONDENTS.

We look to the friends of the Ledger to keep us posted concerning events of public interest happening in any part of the county. Our regular correspondents will be furnished with writing material and stamps for this purpose. Births, deaths, marriages, accidents, amusements, mining and other industrial progress, social notes, new buildings, persons leaving the county, and other items of interest, will be given details of important items, no matter how rough a shape. Avoid personal remarks that might give offense. Visitors between towns in the county need not be mentioned, but visits from or to places beyond the county may be recorded.

Ledger Roll of Honor.

The following sums have been received as subscription to the Ledger during the month of January. This acknowledgment is equal to a receipt for the respective amounts. If any person has paid during the past month whose name does not appear in the list published here, with their name and the amount paid, so that the matter may be corrected.

Mrs. E. Mettler	\$2.50	Mrs. G. B. Solari	\$1.25
J. C. Murphy	2.50	W. F. Driscoll	3.50
A. A. Cranmer	2.50	Geo. Salzgeber	2.50
J. W. Jones	2.50	Geo. Salzgeber	2.50
J. Smith	2.50	C. Boro	2.50
Mrs. A. A. Cranmer	2.50	John Ross	2.50
G. B. Vial	2.50	H. H. Hurlbut	2.50
E. Hurst	2.50	Thos. Lomlin	2.50
A. Chicholiza	2.50	S. Pierce	2.50
W. White	2.50	D. E. Marlowe	2.50
A. Well	2.50	M. H. Church	2.50
W. H. Hagg	2.50	A. W. Fox	2.50
Myra Miller	2.50	John Serra	2.50
F. Burgin	2.50	H. Cook	2.50
G. Browner	2.50		

WOULD ABOLISH TARIFF DUTIES.

Our democratic cotemporary, in line with traditions of the political party to which it belongs, comes out flat-footed in favor of the abolition of the tariff. The democratic party, particularly about election times, is apt to deny the impeachment that it is the party of free trade. But as soon as smoke of battle clears away, with the democracy in its customary role of defeat, the writers of that persuasion throw off the mask, and show themselves in their true colors—as the advocates of free trade. Toned it down as they please, by calling it under various names, such as tariff for revenue only, raw material and the necessities of life free, and a lot of similar hair-splitting distinctions, the predominant idea of free-trade is unmistakably present, and the controlling factor in shaping their views. Last week the Dispatch presented the ideas of one Hazard Stevens on how the tariff ought to be reformed. The article contains nothing new. It is the same old song that has been sung over the drooping fortunes of democracy for 100 years, but it serves to show that notwithstanding all their trumming to meet the popular sentiment, at bedrock, they cling to the played-out doctrine of free trade. This eminent writer on the dominant political question, claims that customs duties ought to be abolished on the following articles, because in some cases American made goods are sold abroad cheaper than at home: Iron and steel, copper, lead and paper, boots, shoes and leather. On the following mentioned articles the tariff ought to be removed for the reason that they are classified as raw material: Wool, hemp, flax and jute; hides, furs and hair; coal, ores, lumber, wood pulp, salt, borax, chemicals, paints and oil. This is certainly a rich schedule of raw materials. Just fancy, chemicals, paints and oils being placed in this category.

A Fireman's Close Call.

"I stuck to my engine, although every joint ached and every nerve was racked with pain," writes C. W. Bellamy, a locomotive fireman of Burlington, Iowa. "I was weak and pale, without any appetite and all run down. As I was about to give up, I got a bottle of Electric Bitter, and after taking it I felt as well as I ever did in my life. Weak, sickly, run down people always gain new life, strength and vigor from this use. Try them. Satisfaction guaranteed by D. B. Spagnoli. Price 50 cents."

We have received a copy of the census returns of 1900, according to which Amador county is credited with a population of 11,116 against 10,320 for the census of 1890, being a gain of 796 in ten years. This is a slow rate of increase; by no means what it should be considering its resources, and advantages in other ways. Calaveras, our southern neighbor, has fared much better in this respect. She has outstripped us in population in the last decade, having 11,200 in 1900 against 8882 in 1890—a gain of 2418—or over 25 per cent.

Bad Indeed.

Losing flesh is indeed a bad sign. Dr. Scott's Emulsion for the lungs, for weak digestion, for defective nourishment, for consumption, take Scott's Emulsion. It restores flesh because it strikes to the cause of the loss.

Working Overtime.

Eight hour laws are ignored by those tireless, little workers—Dr. King's New Life Pills. Millions are always at work, night and day, curing indigestion, biliousness, constipation, Sick Headache and all stomach, liver and bowel troubles. Easy, pleasant, safe, sure. Only 25c at D. B. Spagnoli's drug store.

The Sacramento Weekly Record Union and Ledger for one year, only \$2.50 in advance.

UPHOLDING THE BOYCOTT.

Of all the resources of organized labor, the boycott is one of the most effective retaliatory measures. Of course it is regarded as a most iniquitous measure by those who are not amenable to reasoning, and are made to feel the force of that silent, forceful, cogent expression of popular feeling. The right of one person to abstain from patronizing an individual, firm or corporation, cannot be denied. That same right is enjoyed by one hundred persons, or any other number, the Amador Ledger to the contrary notwithstanding.

Thus speaketh the Tuolumne Prospector. No doubt this advocate of the boycott—the most cowardly device ever conceived to enforce the barbaric doctrine of "might is right"—imagines the argument is a clincher, and effectually disposes of the question. The reasoning, however, is factually defective. The right of one individual to patronize one tradesman exclusively, or to refrain from patronizing another, is not denied. When an individual wants to buy an article, he must of necessity single out some particular place to purchase. He cannot bestow his favor upon every business house in town dealing in that line.

He is compelled therefore to exercise his right of showing preference for one place, or go without the article. This right is part and parcel of his individual liberty. It cannot be taken from him without sacrificing those fundamental principles of freedom guaranteed by the constitution. One man in the exercise of this inalienable right gives preference to one business house; another in the exercise of the same right, and uninfluenced by any outside considerations, confers his favors in the shape of patronage upon another tradesman; and so the business world moves, and all manage to get along. We do not dispute the proposition that this same right of individual preference is enjoyed by one hundred or more persons. We go further than that and say that it is the privilege of every man under a free government. He cannot get away from this condition if he wanted to. There is no merit in the exercise of his choice to deal where he pleases; there is no demerit in his passing by a score of business houses, and his selection of one favorite. He can't help himself. Any law that would attempt to infringe upon this right of preference would be tyranny of the worst kind. But this is teetotally different from the spirit of the boycott. It is not true as a legal proposition that what one man has a right to do as a unit, one hundred persons have the same right to do in concert, especially where the predominating motive underlying the concerted action is to either ruin a fellowman in his business or coerce him into compliance with the wishes of the conspirators. This is the spirit of the boycott. It aims to deprive a man of his right to "life liberty and the pursuit of happiness." It says virtually, you must do business according to our notions, or you will not be permitted to do business at all. It is just as criminal in its spirit as though it were decreed in secret council to kill or maim the individual. If there is no law to reach this sort of conspiracy, it is high time a statute was placed on the books to that end. But it has already been declared illegal, and only extremists of the ultra type will now undertake to defend the obnoxious business. Labor unions will have to move off this dangerous ground if they wish to command the respect of enlightened opinion.

Card of Thanks.

To our many friends of the surrounding community, and the Jackson parlor, N. S. G. W., who so kindly and sympathetically performed the last offices to our husband and son who hereby extend our most sincere and heartfelt thanks.

MRS. GEORGE T. JOYCE.

Mrs. F. B. JOYCE AND FAMILY.

Notice from Weinstein, Lubin & Co., Sacramento.

It would seem that the people of all Northern California are our friends. Sympathy and regret for the recent loss by fire have come to us from all sides. We appreciate it all deeply. We hope that we merit it.

Fortunately our great stock of new spring goods is but just beginning to arrive. We have engaged the Pavilion, Sixth and M Streets, Sacramento, as a temporary store and will open there in a few days.

We are filling mail orders as usual. There is little or no interruption in that part of the business.

Though the liberal and enterprising spirit of Sacramento financiers, who have promptly come to our aid, we shall soon have a finer store building at 400 to 416 K Street, than we had before.

We are respectfully,

WEINSTOCK, LUBIN & CO., Sacramento, Cal.

Touching Tribute to Hathaway.

Our Sacramento letter, which is unavoidably crowded out this week, contains the following touching incident: A beautiful tribute to the memory of B. F. Hathaway, who died at the Oneida mine near Jackson, occurred as his body passed through Sacramento on its way to Nevada City, where it was interred. Mr. Hathaway had sung at a number of the rallies in Amador county during the recent campaign, and a beautiful floral piece was sent by Governor Pardee, Senator Ralston and Assemblyman McKenney, to be placed on his coffin. It showed that they did not forget the services the deceased had rendered them and their party while alive.

More Accidents.

A slight cave occurred at the 1500 level at the Oneida mine about 7 o'clock Thursday evening, when an Italian who is familiarly known as Italian Johnny was severely crushed by the falling debris. He was at once removed to his lodgings at Ghigliero Bros., Jackson Gate, and medical assistance summoned. Dr. Gall found that he had sustained serious internal injuries. Hopes are entertained of his recovery.

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MOVING FOR REFORM.

Supervisor Grillo is anxious to break away from the method of putting in bills for road work which has prevailed in this county for years, and which the Ledger has repeatedly called attention to as being in conflict with law. We refer to the practice of lumping all items for road work in one bill, and allowing the same to the road commissioner instead of to the parties actually performing the work. This week Grillo presented his first bill for road work. He wanted the items entered on the minutes, which, however, was not done, for the reason we presume that the account in the aggregate was sworn to by supervisor Grillo and not by the parties themselves. In fact his bill differed in no respect from the other road accounts, and hence it followed the course of the others. We trust, however, that he will follow his action by putting in his itemized bills hereafter sworn to by the claimants themselves, and we have no doubt they will then go on record in the minutes and be published as a part thereof. It is worthy of note, that the bills for road work under the system in vogue in Amador county, are allowed and paid without the district attorney's indorsement thereon. He does not indorse them as legal, neither does he brand them as illegal. Another peculiar feature is that the warrants against the road funds have not been cancelled by the supervisors the same as other warrants. In our statement of warrants cancelled in connection with the supervisor's proceedings, the road funds do not figure at all. So we are informed it has been right along. Why this exception?

AMADOR COUNTY CONTAINS 632 SQUARE MILES OF SURFACE AREA.

It is one of the smallest counties in the state. San Francisco, with 47 square miles, Santa Cruz, 424; San Mateo, 434; Marin, 549, and Sutter with 622 square miles are the only counties with a less area than Amador. The largest county is San Bernardino, with 19,947 square miles, being 21 times the size of the state of Massachusetts.

Has no Senatorial Rec.

An item appeared in one of the metropolitan journals last week stating that Hon. John F. Davis of this place had announced himself as a candidate for United States senator to succeed Hon. Thos. R. Bard two years hence, and a number of newspapers in the state have in consequence said some cordial things concerning Judge Davis. As soon as Judge Davis arrived home from San Francisco this week, we interviewed him concerning the rumor. He denied that anything of the kind had taken place, and treated the subject lightly. "A number of senators and ex-senators," said he, "were guests at a lunch in the Capital Hotel restaurant in Sacramento last week. In the midst of the badinage incident to such an occasion, a discussion arose as to the possibility of the republican party carrying the state of Nevada two years from now, and electing the United States senator there. I maintained it could be done, but failed to impress the remainder of the party with my view. I finally jestingly made the remark that it seemed that if I was to convince my hearers I'd have to go over there and carry the state for senator myself. That was all there was to it. Some wag in the outfit evidently gave it a twist and handed out a fairy tale to some unfortunate reporter looking for a live story at a dead session."

M. E. church services February 8.

Sunday school, 10 a. m.; sermons, 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Epworth League, 6:30 p. m.; morning subject, "Garisoned cities;" evening subject, "Why men do not seek God."

Call and See M. Barsi.

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Ordinance No. 112.

An Ordinance imposing Road Poll Tax in the county of Amador for the year nineteen hundred and three, and providing for the collection of the same.

THE Board of Supervisor of Amador county do ordain as follows:

Section 1. Every male citizen over twenty-one years of age and under fifty-five years of age, residing in the county of Amador, State of California, during the time for the collection of Road Poll Taxes for the year nineteen hundred and three, excepting all persons who were honorably discharged from services in the army or navy of the United States at any time between the first day of April in the year of our Lord 1861, and the first day of May in the year of our Lord 1865, shall pay to the Assessor of Amador county, or his agent, an annual Road Poll Tax in the sum of Two Dollars, lawful money of the United States, and every such person not exempt as above set forth in any Road District of said Amador county who has not paid the same in some other district must pay the said amount of Road Poll Tax so levied.

And said Assessor is hereby authorized and empowered to collect said Road Poll Tax in accordance with the provisions of Section 3682 of the Political Code of the State of California, and he is hereby granted all the powers and authority therein designated, and is instructed and authorized to pursue all remedies that are provided by law for the collection of State Poll Taxes.

Section 2. This ordinance before taking effect shall be published for one week in the Amador Ledger, a weekly newspaper published and printed in said Amador county, and shall take effect and be in force on and after the first day of March, 1903.

Passed and approved by the Board of Supervisors of the county of Amador, State of California, this 31st day of February, 1903, by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors E. B. Moore, August Grillo, L. Burke, M. Newman, W. M. Amick.

Noes—Supervisors: None.

Chairman of said Board of Supervisors.

Attest: C. L. CULBERT, Clerk.

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COMMUNICATION.

AMADOR CITY, Feb. 3, 1903.

Editor Ledger:—

Noticing what has recently been said in the papers in relation to increasing the salary of judges, while I think it would be a large increase for some counties, I am certain there is a very much lower, though very important office, that should receive a decided increase of salary in some way best known to law-makers. I refer to the office of constable. Here in this prosperous township 4 we were unable to find a proper person to take the office of constable and attend to the business, simply because there was not a decent living in it. Our very efficient constable of the last term, David Gray, of Sutter Creek, who gave entire satisfaction to everyone, and who attended to his business to the satisfaction of all—just the man for the office—but who frankly said "he could not take the office because there was not enough in it to support a man of family." And I understand there was considerable business transacted in his office during his term. Now why not urge the "powers that be" to correct this, and see that the fees are increased to some decent amount. It is not a pleasant office. Oftentimes there are very dangerous matters to be attended to, and we expect our peace officers to be ready at any time and place, and they are ready and willing to bring law-breakers to order. No matter what is done, for others, something should be done to make the constable's office worthy of good, honest, trustworthy aspirants.

JOHN R. TREGLOAN.

CURRENT EXPENSE FUND.

E. B. Moore, mileage, 2.40

L. Burke, mileage, 2.40

A. Grillo, mileage, 2.40

Amador Pub Co, printing, 41.50

J. Marchant, rebate on taxes, 3.40

Amador E. L. & R. Co, lights, 3.00

L. Laverone, constable fees, 7.50

H. E. Kay, constable fees, 9.50

C. Richtmyer, water, 6.00

J. Marchant, rebate on taxes, 3.00

J. L. Godfrey, labor, etc., 9.25

J. L. Godfrey, night watchman, 10.00

Jackson Gaslight Co, gas, 22.40

D. L. Gray, constable fees, 19.75

A. J. Laverone, constable fees, 4.50

H. Golden, justice fees, 18.00

W. H. Willis, reporting, 20.00

Jackson Gaslight Co, gas, 17.50

Sunset Tel & Tel Co, telephone, 1.50

Sunset Tel & Tel Co, telephone, 2.50

H. C. Shear, electric bell for deputy, 6.50

G. A. Gritton, highway bounty, 44

John Blower, justice fees, 6.00

Geo. M. Huberty, coronor fees, 81.25

Amador Dispatch, printing, 78.50

Wm. Going, janitor, etc., 61.50

J. McCauley, justice fees, 9.50

W. Williams, scavenger, 1.50

Jas. Lessner, constable fees, 11.00

J. E. Kelley, constable fees, 17.50

Arthur Hamrick, labor, etc., 3.50

Patrick & Co, rubber stamp, 14.00

T. K. Norman, board of prisoners, 23.50

J. E. Kelley, constable fees, 16.00

J. E. Kelley, constable fees, 11.50

H. S. Crocker Co, books for assessor, 20.20

E. G. Freeman Co, supplies, 31.40

W. M. Robinson, justice fees, 3.00

C. J. Kerr, record books, 53.75

Dr. A. M. Gall, health, telephone, 50.50

R. I. Kerr, disinfectants, 1.95

R. I. Kerr, supplies sheriff's office, 25

Danta Biscardi, candles, 74.00

Geo. A. Gritton, coyote bounty, 13.50

Albert Guerra, labor in sheriff's office, 60.00

Jackson Gaslight Co, gas, 23.95

SALARY FUND.

L. Burke, E. B. Moore, M. Newman, W. M. Amick, A. Grillo \$25 each as road commissioners.

ROAD DISTRICT FUND.

M. Newman, labor, etc., R. D. No 1 376.00

C. J. Kerr, record books, 2 153.00

A. Grillo, " " " " 3 132.00

E. B. Moore, " " " " 4 82.00

L. Burke, " " " " 5 105.00

SPECIAL FUND.

W. M. Amick, 128.00

BRIDGE FUND.

Amador Lumber Co, lumber, 45.04

W. M. Amick, labor, etc., 56.15

E. B. Moore, lumber, etc., 289.26

Dr. B. H. Schacht, medical attendance to Ah Long, \$40. On motion duly made and carried, said bill is rejected.

Ordinance imposing road poll tax for the county of Amador for the year 1903, and providing for the collection of same was passed by unanimous vote. Application of Luigi Benzanono for 5 days' credits was read. On motion duly made and carried said application was granted.

Application of G. A. Gritton et al for the purchase of an arithmometer was read, and same laid over until next regular meeting.

Petition of Thos. Trudgeon for appointment of constable of township No. 4, was laid over until next meeting.

Applications of J. M. Haller, John F. Savage, F. L. Oneta, and M. Barsi for licenses were read. On motion duly made and carried said applications were granted.

A letter from De Camp & Mosher of San Francisco was read, and ordered filed.

On motion duly made and carried, J. F. Gregg was granted a free peddler's license for the term of one year from date.

Criminal returns, and report of county physician, health officer and treasurer, were read and approved.

On motion duly made and carried, the appointment of Mrs. E. C. Crail for support of minor children under half orphan law, was laid over until next regular meeting.

On motion duly made and carried the county auditor was ordered to apportion from the special road fund to road districts 3 and 5, the portion according to the assessable property in said road districts, the sum of \$4349.29.

Warrants were cancelled on the various funds as follows, to wit:

School fund, \$4821.73

Hospital fund, 500.91

Current expense fund, 840.53

Salary fund, 1383.31

Unappropriated fund, 2.53

State of California fund, 8.50

Stock and school fund, 2.50

Special road fund, 526.87

Adjusted until Monday, March 2.

BAD BLOOD

"CASCARETS do all claimed for them and are a truly wonderful medicine. I have often used them in cases of constipation, and have found them to be the most pleasant and safe remedy I have ever used. Since taking them my bowels have been regular and my complexion has improved. I feel better and am in better health than I have been for many years."

MRS. SALLIE E. BELLAS, Luttrell, Tenn.

Up to date in every particular. For men or woman. Diamond or drop frame. High or low gear. Single tube tire, corrugated face. Any color. We fully guarantee our work. We retail for less than the maker can afford to. It is only stock in trade, while we supply every human need or luxury from our Seven Floor Mail Order Department. Stores. If you don't like the bike you buy, we will give you a new one. You can double your money on it. You can buy and sell with less

NEWS OF THE WEEK

Short News Items of Interest to the Ledger Readers.

Pioneer Flour is the "Lily of the Valley," the "Pearl of Perfection."

Valentines at Reddick's at cut prices. Olives, salami, Swiss, Limburger, Hartin's cream and California cheese at Caminetti's Mkt.

There is no disputing the fact that old Judge is the best whiskey for you and your friends.

Nabisco sugar wafers, sold only by Cassinelli, are unexcelled. Try them. You will eat no other. Large consignment just received.

Four comic valentines for one cent at Reddick's.

Geo. W. Wright left town on Friday night for the Wide Awake mine. He expects to be away about two months.

Harvey Clark is improving under the skillful care of Dr. Phillips. His condition this week is greatly improved.

Oysters, frozen oysters, only 50c a n. Guaranteed to be fresh, and the same that are sold elsewhere for 60c and 75c, at Caminetti's Market.

Mrs. Henry Griffin of Pine Grove, as being staying at the M. E. parsonage for the past few days.

Drink El Dorado Brewing Co.'s Valley Brew. Seldom equaled, over exalted. El Dorado Brewing Co., Stockton, Cal.

C. C. Jensen, the practical optician, left for Paloma Thursday morning, to remain there a few days, when he will return to Jackson. In the meantime, orders may be left at Kerr's drug store.

Tom Dwyer, who has been seriously ill for the past two weeks, is now out of danger, and is rapidly becoming convalescent.

For a good potato try Caminetti's Burbanks.

Read Henry Well's price list in another column.

C. W. Schacht, Dentist, Webb building. Hours—9 to 12 a. m.; 1 to 5 p. m. Saturdays 9 to 12 a. m.; 1 to 4 p. m.

Mrs. Alfred Payne accidentally swallowed a fish bone while at her supper last Friday, which lodged in her throat, causing great pain. On Saturday Dr. Endicott was called in to remove the bone, which he did successfully.

Fred Van Vliet, son of pastor Van Vliet of the M. E. church, will arrive from the east towards the end of the month. He intends to make his future home in Amador county.

If you know that "Jesse Moore" Whisky was the best and purest on earth you'd have no other. It is the best, but we cannot prove it to you. Try it.

Jimmy Goss, the seven-year-old son of Frank Goss, accidentally fell off the porch at his home last Monday, and fractured both bones of the left forearm. Dr. Phillips was called in, and promptly set the broken bones.

Spring samples of cloth for men's tailor made suits have been received from M. B. B. and Co. by Reddick's, their agents for Amador Co. For perfect fitting, best quality and lowest prices, they have no equal. Satisfaction guaranteed or you do not take the garments. No deposit required.

Mrs. Fred Eudoy, who has been very sick at her mother's house, and under the care of Dr. Phillips for the past ten days, is now on the mend.

Fifteen inches of snow fell Tuesday at Whitmore's mill, Antelope.

S. G. Horzog, representing Zellerbach & Sons of San Francisco, paid a visit to Jackson this week, in the interest of his firm.

See our new ad this week. Something in it for you. Jackson Shoe Store.

Special sale of embroideries at Reddick's will last until Friday, Feb. 13. See display in show window.

A. L. Coset and H. Gobish, while driving in a buggy down Sutter hill, met with a slight accident Sunday evening. Gobish had alighted, and Coset, while turning the rig round to return to Jackson, accidentally let go one of the reins. The horse gave a plunge, throwing Coset out and breaking off the dashboard of the vehicle. The horse then cantered down the hill, leaving both men behind. Coset received abrasions on the right wrist and leg, but was otherwise uninjured. The rig was eventually stopped at Sutter, without further injury.

Don't miss our ad for you are sure to save from 50c to \$1.00 on all shoes bought here. Jackson Shoe Store.

James Casey of the Standard Electric Company, left Jackson this morning for San Francisco, accompanied by his wife. They will return in about two weeks.

The big reduction in prices of button shoes at Reddick's is a snap for Jackson people; what we have left will be on sale this week as follows:

\$1.00 and \$1.50 children's shoes for \$1.00	"	"	"	"	"
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John Chinn's new Exchange Music Hall on Main street will be formally opened to-morrow evening. The celebrated Irish vocalists and comedians, Donovan and Mason, will then make their first appearance in Jackson. Harry Weaver, the inimitable banjoist, and Charley Archer, the all-round musician actor and jolly bohemian, will give some of their best selections during the evening. George C. Dunham, champion bone soloist, and Leonardo, the gymnast, with his trained ape, Jocko, are billed to appear in the near future.

The health officer, Dr. A. M. Gall, reports for the month ending January 31, that he discovered seven cases of smallpox in two families, living about one mile below Lancha Plana. The contagion was imported from Stockton, a member of one of the families coming from that city to spend the holiday season with his mother. No other cases of contagious diseases are reported.

MINING NOTES.

KENNEDY.—At the request and upon the recommendation of J. F. Parks, Web Smith has been appointed assistant superintendent of the mine. Messrs D. E. Hayes and E. C. Hutchinson of the Kennedy board of directors, have been up to the mine this week inspecting the progress of the great construction work at the east shaft.

GENERAL.—J. Allen Vetch of the Darien mines of the United States of Columbia, has been inspecting various mines upon the mother lode as the guest of Hon. E. C. Voorheis, and is at present registered at the Palace hotel in San Francisco.

ONEIDA.—Sinking below the 2000 foot level is progressing favorably, the depth now being 2190 feet. A small hoist has been fitted up at the 2000 level, and the rock after being landed there is dumped into skips, and sent to the top by the regular hoist. The recent rains have necessitated three hours extra pumping daily, in order to keep the water down to enable the men to work with comfort.

PLYMOUTH.

PLYMOUTH, Feb. 4.—Snow began, falling here yesterday about 4 p. m. and by night everything was clothed in white, then the fun began. Boys were stationed at every corner, and made it known to every passer-by, that "it had snowed." Snowballing still continued this morning. Fred Ball, principal of the Plymouth school, was unfortunate enough to get his eye hurt.

Miss Lottie Miller of Ione, is the guest of Laura Dugan.

Dr. E. V. Tiffany returned Saturday night from a visit below.

Mr. Edsinger slipped and fell down the stairs of the Adams hotel last week. Three ribs were broken as the result.

Miss Hillhouse of Sacramento, who has been here for some time, returned to her home Sunday.

Mrs. Downey came up from Oakland last Saturday to visit her relatives and friends.

The following named officers of Plymouth Lodge No. 260, I. O. O. F., were installed Jan. 23: Wm. Axford, N. G.; G. W. Easton, V. G.; John Blower, Sec.; E. S. Potter, Fin. Sec.; Abraham Bumgardt, Con.; C. W. Catto, warden.

Mrs. Annie Doman is able to sit up. A little daughter entered the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sherman last week, and intends to remain for some time.

AMADOR CITY.

AMADOR CITY, Feb. 3.—Miss Jessie Mitchell returned to Sacramento Sunday, after a two weeks' visit with friends and relatives.

Mr. Burns, engineer at the Bunker Hill mine, came in contact with a live wire while about his work on Thursday, and was severely burned.

Mr. Gallagher of San Francisco, was in town a few days ago.

Misses Anna Jennings and Edna MoWayne of Drytown, were guests at the Amador hotel Saturday evening.

Will Lane has leased Taylor's ranch, and took possession on the first.

Willie and James Carrara, who have been in attendance at the orphanage at Gilroy, came up Saturday night for a visit with relatives.

Misses Maud Crabtree and Blanche Seguin of Ione, were guests of Mrs. Crabtree last week.

Chas. Gillis has recovered from his recent illness, and is able to be at work again.

WILLOW SPRINGS.

WILLOW SPRINGS, Feb. 3.—F. P. Hendrick is quite sick at Mrs. Stevens' with catarrh of the stomach and jaundice. Dr. Tiffany has little hope of his recovery.

Wes Stock has a very bad arm. Blood poisoning has set in, and Dr. Norman says he will have to have the arm taken off at the elbow.

E. S. Barney is almost well again. He was thrown from his buggy by his team running away a few weeks back.

E. S. Manley and family will move this week to Calaveras county, where Mr. Manley has rented the Mt. Tomalis fruit farm.

E. A. Hall celebrated his 27th birthday yesterday by giving a nice dinner. All invited guests did ample justice to the dinner, and wish him many more birthdays, and hope he may have as good a dinner every time.

There was quite an interesting lawsuit in Plymouth with some of the Willow Springs people present. Mr. Ekol did some very fine pleading. W. J. McGee was attorney for the other side.

The late rains were very joyfully received, as rain was needed badly.

VIVE.

Snowballing in Jackson.

The youngsters had quite a time on Main street last Tuesday afternoon while the snowstorm was on. Every passer-by, whether afoot or horseback, received a volley of snowballs. Wilford Dennis came in for a goodly share of the missiles, one of which cut a hole about four inches long in his hard felt hat. Captain Middlemiss also received his share of the fun. He was attacked both in front and rear, and was for a little while under a severe fire, and only escaped further punishment by rushing into the Louvre restaurant.

Frank Voorheis also received a number of shots, one of which knocked his eyeglasses off and breaking them.

Had To Conquer Or Die.

"I was just about gone," writes Mrs. Rosa Richardson, of Laurel Springs, N. C. "I had Consumption so bad that the best doctors said I could not live more than a month, but I began to use Dr. King's New Discovery and was wholly cured by seven bottles and am now stout and well." It's an unrivaled life-saver in Consumption, Pneumonia, La Grippe and Bronchitis; Infallible for Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Hay Fever, Croup or Whooping Cough. Guaranteed bottles 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at D. H. Spagnoli's drug store.

Superintendent Parks of the Kennedy is improving in health, and it is possible he may go south for a couple of months' vacation at an early date.

PIPE BREAKS AT ELECTRA.

Entire System at a Standstill.

Early this morning one of the main pipes leading from the mouth of the reservoir tunnel of the Standard Electric works near Electra, was found to be cracked and leaking to a considerable extent. The place where the leak occurred is a little above the Page residence, and about 1000 feet up the hill from the plant. As soon as the break was discovered the water—which at the point of breakage carries a pressure of 650 pounds to the square inch—was immediately shut off at the mouth of the tunnel, near the top of the hill. A force of men have been sent to the scene, and are now busily engaged in removing the damaged pipe, etc. In the meantime the entire electric system of the Standard Company, from Electra to San Francisco, is at a standstill, and likely to remain so for several days. Jackson, Sutter Creek, and other places have been notified of the break, and citizens will be compelled to use gas or oil lamps until the repairs to the pipe are fully completed. The monetary loss to the company, not allowing for the inconvenience to its various patrons, will run into the thousands.

Additional Locals.

George Tucker has resigned his position as foreman of the Kennedy mine. John Hosking, who was foreman of the mine some time ago, has taken charge again.

John Clute, Ed Santillo, and the Grillo brothers of Volcano had a royal time here last Friday afternoon. They had driven into Jackson in the morning in several rigs, from Defender, with a gang of men from the Standard Company's ditch near there. During their brief stay in Jackson they visited several old friends, and had a jolly time in honor of the 35th anniversary of John Clute. They returned late in the evening.

Steve N. Hughes, a well known citizen of Mokelumne Hill, and proprietor of a livery stable and hall in that town, was examined before the superior court of Calaveras county last week on a charge of insanity, and committed to the Stockton asylum. He was stricken with paralysis several months ago, and has since been unable to speak. His mind also gave way, and his friends concluded that he would be better in the asylum for the insane. The unfortunate man was an old resident of the Hill, and well known in Jackson and other parts of this county.

The first snowfall of the season visited Jackson Sunday afternoon. It was barely sufficient to cover the ground, and not enough to afford the youngsters any sport in the pastime of snowballing.

To the east of us, however, there was a heavy fall. The entire country above New York Ranch was wrapped in a mantle of white. Six inches fell at Pine Grove on Saturday, and as much more on Sunday. Butte mountain received its first baptism of snow for the year on Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. M. Spinetti of San Francisco, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Genera, at north Jackson.

Mrs. C. W. Freeman left early this week for Los Angeles, for a vacation of several weeks.

The pole crews of the Standard Electric Company arrived from Electra and Sutter Thursday afternoon. They made their headquarters at the Globe, where they were paid off. Late in the evening a number of them, having imbibed somewhat freely, commenced a disturbance in front of the National hotel, which eventually developed into a general mix-up. Subsequently they had another melee by the Globe hotel, and as a result three of them were arrested, but released later on after sobering up. The crowd left this morning for Ione, en route to San Francisco.

Special sale of embroideries at Reddick's.

10c embroideries for 5c a yd.

12c	"	"	6
15c	"	"	7
20c	"	"	9
25c	"	"	12

Rev. F. A. Morrow has been suffering for several weeks from a severe attack of the grip.

Money in Treasury.

By official count made February 2, the amount and kind of money in the county treasury was as follows:

Gold	\$25,245.00
Silver	17,370.10
Checks and bills	98.57
Currency	380.00
Warrants uncancelled	8153.88
Total	\$51,247.85

Criminal Returns.

Township 1, H. Goldner, judge—Engino Maginari, defrauding innkeeper, held to answer; costs, \$3.

Geo. Drendel, battery, held to answer; \$100 bonds; costs, \$3.

Wm. Wagner, begging, 10 days' imprisonment; costs, \$5.25.

John Rose, battery, fined \$90; costs, \$8.50.

Charley Owen, disturbing the peace, sent to jail for 5 days; costs, \$5.25.

Joe Foley, disturbing the peace, sent to jail for 5 days; costs, \$5.25.

Township 2, Jas. McCauley, judge—David Phillips, robbery, discharged; costs, \$3.

A. G. Miller, assault with intent to murder, held to answer; costs, \$6.50.

Township 3, A. W. Robinson, judge—W. E. Spear and A. J. Spear, larceny, discharged; costs, \$14.30.

Township 4, W. L. Rosa, judge—Frank Kinney, battery, fined \$3; costs, \$3.

J. C. Longstreet, obtaining goods under false pretences, warrant issued; costs, \$6.

Joseph H. Hoskins, burglary, held to answer; costs, \$27.25.

Township 5, John Blower, judge—J. J. Ekol, assault to murder, held to answer; costs, \$26.

Insane Commitment.

Carlo Sisco, the woodchopper, who was found in a demented condition near Lancha Plana some weeks ago, was examined yesterday before the Superior Court, and committed to the Stockton asylum. He was taken to that institution this morning by sheriff Norman.

SUPERIOR COURT.

HON. R. C. RUST, JUDGE.

On South Spring Hill vs. Keyes and G. M. Co.—Continued until February 14. Application of Jackson Silva for writ of habeas corpus in favor of Willie Silva, a minor—Case heard, and petitioner ordered released from Preston school on the ground that he had been deprived of his statutory rights.

F. M. Blackley vs. C. J. Docker et al.—Continued indefinitely by request of counsel.

W. E. Spear vs. Scottish Union Insurance Co.—Judgment given in favor of plaintiff, for the sum of \$1819.32 on four distinct policies on property known as Granite station, destroyed by fire two years ago, being the full amount claimed. Attorney to draw up findings in accordance with said judgment.

Estate of G. Cassassa—Decree of distribution, setting apart the real estate for benefit of widow.

In matter of resolutions of respect to the late A. C. Brown—Committee presents resolutions. Addresses made by following members of the bar: R. C. Bole, D. B. Spagnoli, C. P. Vicini, Chas. H. Crocker and W. H. Willis. The court also addressing the bar association on the subject. Resolutions ordered spread upon the minutes, and a copy sent to the relatives.

The resolutions read as follows: Whereas, it has pleased Almighty God, in the fullness of the year, to remove from our midst our brother, attorney and former judge of the county court of this county, Hon. Armstead C. Brown.

And whereas, we desire to pay a fitting tribute to the memory of our late departed friend, and to make a permanent record of our appreciation of his sterling character, therefore be it

Resolved, that in his demise we mourn the loss of one who, after serving the state of Wisconsin in the halls of legislation, came in the flush of his young manhood to California, and helped to lay the foundation of this commonwealth.

That as a pioneer of Shasta and Amador counties he was one of the creators of the heritage bequeathed us by that immortal band of empire builders. That as a member of the legislature of this state he for three years raised his voice in behalf of government in the plastic days when participation in public life meant so much for good or evil. That as a judge upon the bench in this county he for three years presided in our county court and had not only the wisdom but the courage to dispense justice without fear or favor. That as a member of the bar he aimed to maintain the best tradition of the profession, aiding the court by his ability, and seeking to mislead it in the least.

Resolved, that we, the undersigned, do hereby express our sincere sympathy to his brother attorneys, faithful to his clients, stronger to avert litigation than to promote bickering and strife. That in him was exemplified the kind husband and father, the loyal and steadfast friend, the honest and upright man.

Resolved, that we commend these thoughts to his family, and we invoke for them the consolation which the memory of his virtuous and saintly life will bring them in the coming years.

Resolved, that these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of this court, and that the clerk send an engrossed copy thereof, under the seal of this court, to the family of our deceased brother. Respectfully submitted,

R. C. BOLE,

JOHN P. DAVIS,

WM. J. MCGEE,

Committee.

Jackson, Jan. 31, 1903.

NEW SUITS.

Dave Mattley vs. George L. Thomas—Plaintiff claims a right of way over the lands recently purchased by the defendant, known as the Clark ranch. His complaint alleges that for forty-three years he has had an outlet through this ranch for himself, his employees, and for wagons and stock. On the 20th of January defendant obstructed said right of way by building and maintaining a fence across it, and refuses to remove it. Suit is brought for \$500 damages, and for writ of injunction to prevent defendant from interfering with said alleged right of way in any manner. Citation issued for defendant to show cause February 3 why said injunction should not be issued. On that day the matter was argued on both sides and submitted to the court.

First Recruit for State Prison.

Sheriff Norman made his first trip with a prisoner sentenced to serve a term in the state penitentiary last Saturday. On that day he took down to Folsom prison James H. Hoskins, to serve a term of 14 years for burglary of the Mint saloon in Sutter Creek on the morning of January 21st. He pleaded guilty to the charge, and received the above stated sentence. The penalty is differently regarded—some being inclined to look upon it as somewhat severe. It was an exceptional case, however. He had just been liberated from the county jail, and had scarcely got settled down to his recovered liberty when he made this new break in crime. Although young in years—being about 20—he showed clearly that he was criminally inclined, robbing his own home when he found that the booty from the burglarized saloon was not equal to his spendthrift inclinations. The fact that he pleaded guilty to the charge did not tell in mitigation of the offense. All things considered, we think it will have a salutary effect in dealing out punishment without stint to those who are disposed to adopt a criminal career. The young man took the sentence without showing much feeling. He hardly realized the life he had before him for the next decade. With all credits for good behavior, he will have to spend the next ten years at hard labor for the state.

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DOCUMENTS RECORDED.

[The following instruments have been filed for record in the recorder's office since our last report. We publish a complete list of documents recorded, and must decline to accede to any request to suppress any document from these columns. Don't ask us to do so.]

DEEDS.

A. Caminetti to Mrs. Catherine Botto—NW 1/4 of sec 23 twp 6 n r 11 e, 55 acres; also 200 acres in sec 18 twp 6 n r 12 e; \$800.

Ella E. Caminetti to Catherine Botto—W 1/4 of SE 1/4, NE 1/4 of SE 1/4 and SE 1/4 of NE 1/4 sec 15 twp 6 n r 11 e, 160 acres; \$500.

Isaac W. Whitans to John S. Brown—SW 1/4 of NW 1/4 and NW 1/4 of SW 1/4 sec 17 n r 10 e, 120 acres; \$400.

Francois LeDoux to Louis Marcell—320 acres, S 1/4 of sec 29 twp 7 n r 12 e; \$700.

Chas. Bann to Ogalala Gold Mining Co.—Chris Limpher mining claim, Oleta district, 10 acres; \$10.

James Smith to J. M. Wilson—Part of NE 1/4 sec 5 twp 7 n r 12 e, 150 3/4 acres; \$300.

Original Gold Mining Co. to Martha E. O'Dell—40 acres, SE 1/4 of SW 1/4 sec 31 twp 8 n r 13 e; also 10 acres in sec 32 twp 8 n r 11 e, known as Chris Limpher mining claim; \$10.

Colosseus Bellomoni et ux to Rosa Bellomoni—Lot on Jackson Gate road, south side Stark's lane; \$10.

R. W. Ketchum to Lawrence Burke—House on lot on N side of Main street, Plymouth; \$20.

John P. Litch to Wm. A. Norman—Lot 9 block 16, Plymouth; \$70.

Delores Silva to M. Burke—Certain lot in block 1, Drytown; \$1.

John Blower to Mrs. B. Burke—Lot on Alpine street, Plymouth; \$10.

MORTGAGES.

Gottlieb Stiefel to M. R. Bacon—Lot 7 of Arroyo Seco Rancho, and 105 acres on Stacey ranch, Amador county; \$1000.

D. W. Walker to J. Newman—NW 1/4 of SW 1/4 sec 9 twp 6 n r 10 e; \$100.

155 18-100 acres Bott's tract; 200 acres Myers' tract in sec 36 twp 6 n r 10 e; and 158 8-10 acres Oscar Myers' tract, sec 1 twp 5 n r 10 e; \$2500.

Mrs. Nellie Bell to R. Ramsbottom—SW 1/4 of NW 1/4 sec 7 n r 10 e; \$400.

L. Martell to Lorenzo Marre—Lots 1 and 2, block 20, Sutter Creek; \$700.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Belle Lesslie to R. Rugue—Assignment of foreclosure of mortgage on real estate, Amador county; \$468.57.

Onaida Gold Mining Co. to Standard Electric Co.—Right of way over Onaida property; \$10.

Bill of sale—G. M. Giannini to Mary M. Penna et al on personal property and stock at Giacomo Giannini's ranch, Drytown; \$900.

Certificate of sale on foreclosure suit of Belle Lesslie vs. H. F. Vogt by H. D. Emerson; \$672.02.

Declaration of homestead by Mary M. Giannini on SW 1/4 of sec 19 twp 7 n r 11 e; 167 90-100 acres.

Proofs of labor—J. F. DeWitt on Quinn quartz mine, Middle Bar district; Charles Stirnman on Falcon quartz mine.

Location—Jacob Newman and R. H. Bagley on Newman & Bagley placer mining claim, Ione district.

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Gluck in a Frenzy.

When Gluck composed his immortal

works, a bottle of champagne was al-

ways placed on either side of the piano,

and its effervescence helped to inspire

the great airs of "Iphigenia," "Armi-

da" and "Alceste." When the final re-

hearsals were held of the "Iphigenia,"

Gluck had not yet written the melody

to the "Dance of the Scythians." Na-

verre, the ballet master, becoming im-

patient over the delay, went to him one

morning to urge him to hurry it up. As

he entered the composer's anteroom

he heard unusual and terrific noises

emanating from Gluck's library. He

approached stealthily and through a

crack in the door saw Gluck in shirt

sleeves, his face as red as fire and dis-

torted by horrible grimaces, singing,

gesticulating and jumping about like a

madman. Naverre, frightened by the

extraordinary spectacle, pushed the

door open. "Ah, there you are," ex-

claimed Gluck. "I am just finishing

your dance and will let you have it

right away." It was then that Gluck

had composed that grand orgy of the

savages which created such a profound

sensation on the stage.

Blind Men as Shampooers.

"I do pity these blind men so," said

a stranger in the city who had been ap-

proached by so many "blind" men in

walking down the avenue that he won-

dered how these beggars picked him

out so readily.

"And yet," said his host, "there are

many lines of work which they could

do instead of begging. For example,

most of the shampooers in Japan are

blind men. Some are so well to do

that they own their own houses, and

their patrons go to them for treatment.

Others who have not succeeded so well

go from house to house, and the rest

of the people from sympathy guide

them from place to place. Some of

them walk alone, blowing on bamboo

whistles. There was a time when some

of them were doctors as well as sham-

poopers."—New York Tribune.

Raising His Salary.

"You told me last week that you

would try to raise my salary," said

Briggs.

"Oh, yes," replied his employer.

"Well, I did. I raised it after some

trouble. Believe me, I had a very

hard time raising it this week."

It is remarkable how virtuous and

generously disposed every one is at

a play. We uniformly applaud what

is right and condemn what is wrong

when it costs us nothing but the senti-

ment.—Hazlitt.

An easy way to soften hard water

delightfully is to throw orange pee-

into it just before the water is used.

Summons.

In the Superior Court of the county of Amador,

State of California.

Consolidated Volcano-Amador Hydraulic Gold

Mining and Land Company, plaintiff, vs. C. J.

Decker, James Ward Hall, U. S. Arbuthnot,

E. O. Arbuthnot, and G. J. Root, defendants.

Action brought in the Superior Court of the

county of Amador, State of California, and

the complaint filed in the office of the clerk of

said county of Amador.

John F. Davis, attorney for plaintiff.

The PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

do hereby give notice to C. J. Decker,

James Ward Hall, U. S. Arbuthnot, E. O. Ar-

buthnot, and G. J. Root, defendants, that

they are hereby directed to appear and an-

swer the complaint in an action entitled as

above, brought against you in the Superior

Court of the county of Amador, State of Cal-

ifornia, within ten days after the service on

you of this summons—if served within this county;

or within thirty days if served elsewhere.

And you are hereby notified that, unless the

defendants so appear and answer, the plain-

tiff will take judgment for any money you

are demanded in the complaint as arising

under contract, or will apply to the court for any

other relief demanded in the complaint.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Su-

perior Court of the county of Amador, State of

California, this 25th day of September, A. D.

1902.

C. L. CULBERT, Clerk.

(Seal of Super-

ior Court.)

By J. R. HUBERT,

Deputy Clerk.

Notice to Creditors.

ESTATE OF AGOSTINO CHICHIZOLA, DECEASED.

NOTICE is hereby given by the undersigned

executor of the last will and testament of

Agostino Chichizola, deceased, to the credit-

ors of and all persons having claims against

the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the

necessary vouchers, within ten months after

the first publication of this notice to the ex-

ecutor, at the law office of John F. Davis,

Summit street, Jackson, Amador county,

California, the same being the place for the

transaction of the business of said estate, in

said county of Amador.

Dated January 23, 1903.

JULIUS CHICHIZOLA,

Executor of the last will and testament of

Agostino Chichizola, deceased.

John F. Davis, attorney for administrator.

JAN 25

The Woes of Cupid.

"Men is 'foe' fickle," said Miss Miami

Brenn. "Do you go back on you on de

slightest provocation?"

"What's been happenin'?" asked

Miss Olinda Jefferson Tompkins.

"Mr. Rastus Pinkley come aroun'

tryin' to kiss me, an', so no not to seem

too willin' an' audacious, I smashed

'im with a flatiron, an' jes' foh dat he

jilted me."—Washington Star.

The Branch of Peace.

"How did you come to select Olive

is a name for your baby?"

"Well, you see, my wife's father ob-

jected to our marriage, and when the

little one came he forgave us, so we

thought it was no more than right to

let her have proper credit."—Chicago

Record-Herald.

It is easy to discourage a man who

realizes that he gets all the trouble in

sight.—Chicago News.

Prussian blue paint is made from the

ashes of the burned hoofs of horses.

Silvers in Potatoes.

In peeling potatoes it is often ob-

served that the outer flesh of the tuber

contains brown silvers extending from

the surface inward to the depth of

about one-eighth of an inch. These sil-

vers do no harm except to slightly injure

the appearance of the cooked potato.

Usually their location is indicated ex-

ternally by a minute puncture in the

skin. In some cases each silver is sur-

mounted by a pronounced elevation,

and tubers so affected are called pim-

ply potatoes.

The silvers and accompanying pim-

ples are caused by minute white

worms, the larvae of the common flea

beetle, which bore into the tubers while

they are growing. Naturally silvers

are most common in potatoes in local-

ities where flea beetles are most abun-

dant. It is likewise plain that to pre-

vent the appearance of silvers in the

tubers it is necessary to prevent flea

beetles from attacking the tops. This is

best accomplished by spraying the

plants very thoroughly with bordeaux

mixture containing paris green at the

rate of about twelve ounces to fifty gal-

lons of liquid. The same treatment

prevents blight and the ravages of po-

tato bugs.—F. C. Stewart in American

Agriculturist.

Chinese Anatomy.

Chinese physicians have some curious

notions in regard to human anatomy.

The truth is they know nothing about

anatomy as that word is understood by

American physicians, their principal

authority on the subject being a work

entitled "Netjing," of which Huang

Ti, who lived from 2807 to 2507 B. C.,

is said to be the author.

According to Chinese physicians, the

human heart occupies almost the same

position as is assigned by European

and American physicians to the stom-

ach, and bile, they maintain, has its

origin in the back of the head. They

also claim that a human being has 365

bones, which correspond to the 365

days of the year; that a man has

twelve ribs and a woman fourteen and

that a man's skull is composed of eight

and a woman's six pieces.

Moreover, they say that in every hu-

man body there are twenty-two parts

which are important and fifty-six

which are unimportant, and they lay

great stress on the necessity of taking

good care of the important parts.

Korean Schools.

In Korean schools the master is